



Mason James (Jim) Archer

September 24, 1964 - May 14, 2023

Mason James (Jim) Archer, age 58, passed away unexpectedly on Sunday, May 14, 2023.

Jim was a supportive, kind, funny, smart, and witty man who loved his wife, children, extended family, and others unconditionally. He had a unique ability to make everyone feel welcome and included. He was passionate about his best friend Jesus, he was beloved by his church, and spoke of his faith often. He was deeply loved by his family and will be dearly missed.

Jim was preceded in death by his parents, Mason and Virginia Archer Jr.; and his father-in-law, Harold (Jack) Jacobs.

He is survived by his wife, Lisa Archer; children, Amber and Clint Lewin, Bethany Archer, and Jenelle Archer; grandchildren, Evelyn, Meredith, and Levi; sister, Cynthia Archer-Mitchell (Bill); brother, Stephen and Paul (Nickel) Archer; sister, Katherine Archer-Sullivan (James); mother-in-law, Kathleen (Joyce) Jacobs; and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services are at 10:00 am on Tuesday, May 23, 2023, at Grand Rapids First, 2100 44th St. SW, Wyoming, MI 49519.

Burial to take place in North Holland Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers or memorial contributions, please consider serving the family by contributing to funeral expenses. Contributions can be made through https://www.gofundme.com/f/archer-memorial-support?utm_campaign=p_cp+share-sheet&utm_content=undefined&utm_medium=copy_link_all&utm_source=customer&utm_term=undefined.

Cemetery Details

North Holland Cemetery

James Street and Beeline Road
Holland, MI 49424

Previous Events

Funeral Service

MAY 23. 10:00 AM (ET)

Grand Rapids First
2100 44th St. SW
Wyoming, MI 49519

Tribute Wall



“ *Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Mason James (Jim) Archer*



Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes - May 19, 2023 at 01:17 PM

CC

“ *Wow...we just met again after 40 years and now you're gone. Gone to soon. Love Charisse*

Charisse Coston - May 27, 2023 at 06:58 AM

KZ

“ *I grew up going to church get-togethers with Jim. He was my best buddy growing up. I remember all the goofy things he did that made me laugh. He would say something very dry (seeming to agree with you) and then say something opposite very tongue-in-cheek - "I suppose you could think that" and then laugh out loud. I just loved his sense of humor and his laugh. Just a one-of-a-kind light in the world. Non-judgmental and caring, and always trying to understand. It was impossible not to love him. We should all wish to be like Jim.*

Kate Zerby - May 22, 2023 at 10:40 AM

DZ

I am sorry that Lisa, you have to go on without Jim. /// Not like you Kate who were buddies, but even I felt happier talking, being around him. 6 years younger, and he is gone, no way.

Deb Zilch - May 23, 2023 at 05:55 PM

MW

“ I shared a lifetime with Jimmy, I baby sat him when he was a little boy. He was only 2 and I loved him dearly. He walked with my daughter at graduation, read the 13th Chapter of Corinthians at Sharons Wedding. He carried the ring with my daughter as the flower girl at his Uncles Wedding. We had a Blessed life together. We prayed and cried together. We will meet again in the Kingdom. I send my Love and Prayers to all his family and friends.

Marilyn Willacker - May 21, 2023 at 08:31 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mason James (Jim) Archer.

May 21, 2023 at 06:26 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mason James (Jim) Archer.



May 21, 2023 at 06:26 PM

KA

“ Lisa and family our heart breaks as does yours. We loved Jim and had so many good times with him. He had a strong faith in God and I know you do too. We are keeping you and your family in our special prayers. remember all the good times. You two were the best.

Ken Arends - May 18, 2023 at 04:55 PM

AS

“ We have so many fun memories of Jim!! From the four of us driving around together, dinners out - his favorites Fricano's and Everyday People Cafe, to his hilarious sense of humor. Our hearts are breaking. We will sorely miss him. Sending love and hugs to you Lisa.



Aimee Seeley - May 18, 2023 at 03:11 PM

KM

“ Your Orange Family at TWV is with you and loves you, Lisa. You've been an example of what it looks like to keep moving forward, even in the hard moments. And you've fought fiercely for those in need. In your time of need, know that we are fighting for you. Keep those eyes fixed on Jesus. The Good Shepherd will guide you every step of the way. When you walk through the valley of the shadow, you will fear no evil, for HE IS WITH YOU.

Karen Miedema - May 18, 2023 at 01:08 PM

JW

“ Jim always encouraged me and helped me feel I was part of the group in our younger years. I REMEMBER HIM MOST FOR KISSING HIS MOM AND SISTERS ON THE CHEEK. Ten smiling and saying common lets go. ! Or doing a head count to make sure we knew where all the crew were. Always fun always responsible



James David Wampler - May 18, 2023 at 10:58 AM

JB

“ My dear cousin, Jim, was so special. What I remember most is how easily I could talk to him about faith. I went to him whenever I had questions about bible verses I didn't understand. He was willing to spend time to make sure my questions were answered and followed up a few days later. A great man of faith. He was funny, nice, considerate, honest, loyal, and loving. I will miss him dearly. I'm sure he is in heaven.



Jana Blanchette - May 17, 2023 at 11:14 PM

CR

“ We met Jim and Lisa at Ridgepoint Church where they were leading a marriage seminar. They were the perfect couple to do this! Fun, loving, Christian, and so so respectful of each other! It was obvious to everyone in attendance, that their marriage was what every couple wanted to have. We also attended Bible studies at their home, which were awesome and fun!!!! Jim led his home with such love and caring. He could have taught younger men how to treat a women the correct way and how to put the Lord first. What I can say is that he fought the good fight of life, and finished his race. Well done, Jim. Well done. 🙏🥹

Cheryl Ritchie - May 17, 2023 at 07:14 PM



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“ [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Mason James (Jim) Archer.

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“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mason James (Jim) Archer.



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“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mason James (Jim) Archer.



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